

**Table 21. Tuberculosis Cases by Occupation: 59 Reporting Areas, 1996**

| Reporting Area               | Total Cases   | Cases with Information on Occupation |             | Percent of Cases by Occupation(a) |                    |                       |                |                  |                      |
|------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------|
|                              |               | No.                                  | %           | Unemployed Past 24 Mos.           | Health Care Worker | Correctional Employee | Migrant Worker | Other Occupation | Multiple Occupations |
| <b>United States</b>         | <b>21,337</b> | <b>18,293</b>                        | <b>85.7</b> | <b>63.4 (b)</b>                   | <b>2.8 (b)</b>     | <b>0.1 (b)</b>        | <b>1.3 (b)</b> | <b>32.3 (b)</b>  | <b>0.1 (b)</b>       |
| Alabama                      | 423           | 399                                  | 94.3        | 70.2                              | 2.8                | 0.0                   | 0.3            | 26.8             | 0.0                  |
| Alaska                       | 96            | 70                                   | 72.9        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Arizona                      | 282           | 241                                  | 85.5        | 72.2                              | 0.8                | 0.0                   | 2.9            | 24.1             | 0.0                  |
| Arkansas                     | 225           | 176                                  | 78.2        | 69.9                              | 4.0                | 0.0                   | 1.7            | 24.4             | 0.0                  |
| California                   | 4,313         | 3,930                                | 91.1        | 62.5                              | 2.2                | 0.1                   | 2.4            | 32.8             | 0.0                  |
| Colorado                     | 104           | 86                                   | 82.7        | 59.3                              | 2.3                | 0.0                   | 1.2            | 37.2             | 0.0                  |
| Connecticut                  | 138           | 132                                  | 95.7        | 53.0                              | 5.3                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 41.7             | 0.0                  |
| Delaware                     | 43            | 38                                   | 88.4        | 65.8                              | 0.0                | 2.6                   | 0.0            | 31.6             | 0.0                  |
| District of Columbia         | 139           | 112                                  | 80.6        | 80.4                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 19.6             | 0.0                  |
| Florida                      | 1,417         | 1,335                                | 94.2        | 49.7                              | 2.4                | 0.0                   | 2.7            | 45.2             | 0.0                  |
| Georgia                      | 790           | 540                                  | 68.4        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Hawaii                       | 200           | 172                                  | 86.0        | 69.8                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.6            | 29.7             | 0.0                  |
| Idaho                        | 15            | 12                                   | 80.0        | 33.3                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 33.3           | 33.3             | 0.0                  |
| Illinois                     | 1,060         | 645                                  | 60.8        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Indiana                      | 202           | 186                                  | 92.1        | 69.9                              | 4.3                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 25.8             | 0.0                  |
| Iowa                         | 70            | 63                                   | 90.0        | 57.1                              | 3.2                | 1.6                   | 1.6            | 36.5             | 0.0                  |
| Kansas                       | 74            | 55                                   | 74.3        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Kentucky                     | 259           | 258                                  | 99.6        | 74.8                              | 3.1                | 0.0                   | 1.2            | 20.9             | 0.0                  |
| Louisiana                    | 420           | 369                                  | 87.9        | 60.7                              | 1.9                | 0.0                   | 0.3            | 36.9             | 0.3                  |
| Maine                        | 21            | 21                                   | 100.0       | 76.2                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 23.8             | 0.0                  |
| Maryland                     | 319           | 239                                  | 74.9        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Massachusetts                | 262           | 242                                  | 92.4        | 60.7                              | 4.5                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 34.7             | 0.0                  |
| Michigan                     | 443           | 366                                  | 82.6        | 74.6                              | 3.3                | 0.0                   | 1.6            | 20.5             | 0.0                  |
| Minnesota                    | 131           | 128                                  | 97.7        | 65.6                              | 0.8                | 0.0                   | 0.8            | 32.8             | 0.0                  |
| Mississippi                  | 251           | 233                                  | 92.8        | 69.1                              | 3.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 27.9             | 0.0                  |
| Missouri                     | 224           | 186                                  | 83.0        | 68.3                              | 3.8                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 28.0             | 0.0                  |
| Montana                      | 19            | 19                                   | 100.0       | 73.7                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 26.3             | 0.0                  |
| Nebraska                     | 22            | 19                                   | 86.4        | 57.9                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 42.1             | 0.0                  |
| Nevada                       | 137           | 118                                  | 86.1        | 60.2                              | 3.4                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 36.4             | 0.0                  |
| New Hampshire                | 21            | 17                                   | 81.0        | 76.5                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 23.5             | 0.0                  |
| New Jersey                   | 820           | 801                                  | 97.7        | 62.7                              | 3.6                | 0.0                   | 0.2            | 33.3             | 0.1                  |
| New Mexico                   | 89            | 77                                   | 86.5        | 61.0                              | 1.3                | 0.0                   | 9.1            | 28.6             | 0.0                  |
| New York State(c)            | 535           | 422                                  | 78.9        | 57.8                              | 5.9                | 0.2                   | 0.7            | 34.8             | 0.5                  |
| New York City                | 2,053         | 1,920                                | 93.5        | 72.4                              | 3.3                | 0.1                   | 0.0            | 24.1             | 0.1                  |
| North Carolina               | 554           | 532                                  | 96.0        | 61.1                              | 3.4                | 0.2                   | 1.9            | 32.9             | 0.6                  |
| North Dakota                 | 8             | 6                                    | 75.0        | 83.3                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 16.7             | 0.0                  |
| Ohio                         | 301           | 295                                  | 98.0        | 67.1                              | 3.1                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 29.8             | 0.0                  |
| Oklahoma                     | 201           | 77                                   | 38.3        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Oregon                       | 190           | 168                                  | 88.4        | 57.1                              | 1.2                | 0.0                   | 3.6            | 37.5             | 0.6                  |
| Pennsylvania                 | 583           | 456                                  | 78.2        | 70.4                              | 4.8                | 0.4                   | 0.4            | 23.9             | 0.0                  |
| Rhode Island                 | 35            | 34                                   | 97.1        | 47.1                              | 8.8                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 44.1             | 0.0                  |
| South Carolina               | 348           | 313                                  | 89.9        | 62.6                              | 2.2                | 0.0                   | 0.3            | 34.8             | 0.0                  |
| South Dakota                 | 19            | 19                                   | 100.0       | 73.7                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 26.3             | 0.0                  |
| Tennessee                    | 504           | 416                                  | 82.5        | 66.6                              | 2.6                | 1.4                   | 0.0            | 29.1             | 0.2                  |
| Texas                        | 2,103         | 1,502                                | 71.4        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Utah                         | 58            | 55                                   | 94.8        | 81.8                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 1.8            | 16.4             | 0.0                  |
| Vermont                      | 4             | 1                                    | 25.0        | --                                | --                 | --                    | --             | --               | --                   |
| Virginia                     | 349           | 349                                  | 100.0       | 53.0                              | 4.3                | 0.3                   | 0.9            | 41.5             | 0.0                  |
| Washington                   | 285           | 273                                  | 95.8        | 19.8                              | 2.6                | 0.0                   | 3.7            | 74.0             | 0.0                  |
| West Virginia                | 57            | 55                                   | 96.5        | 72.7                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 27.3             | 0.0                  |
| Wisconsin                    | 114           | 108                                  | 94.7        | 54.6                              | 3.7                | 0.0                   | 0.9            | 40.7             | 0.0                  |
| Wyoming                      | 7             | 7                                    | 100.0       | 85.7                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 14.3             | 0.0                  |
| American Samoa(d)            | ...           | ...                                  | ...         | ...                               | ...                | ...                   | ...            | ...              | ...                  |
| Fed. States of Micronesia(d) | ...           | ...                                  | ...         | ...                               | ...                | ...                   | ...            | ...              | ...                  |
| Guam(d)                      | 112           | 111                                  | 99.1        | 53.2                              | 0.9                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 45.9             | 0.0                  |
| N. Mariana Islands(d)        | ...           | ...                                  | ...         | ...                               | ...                | ...                   | ...            | ...              | ...                  |
| Puerto Rico(d)               | 222           | 220                                  | 99.1        | 85.5                              | 2.3                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 12.3             | 0.0                  |
| Republic of Palau(d)         | 5             | 5                                    | 100.0       | 0.0                               | 20.0               | 0.0                   | 20.0           | 60.0             | 0.0                  |
| U.S. Virgin Islands(d)       | 9             | 7                                    | 77.8        | 57.1                              | 0.0                | 0.0                   | 0.0            | 42.9             | 0.0                  |

(a)Occupation within past 24 months. Percentages shown only for reporting areas with information reported for ≥75% of cases.

(b)Percentage based on data from 44 areas reporting information on occupation for ≥75% of cases.

(c)Excludes New York City.

(d)Not included in totals.

Ellipses indicate data not available.